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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Rudolf KODES

Serial No. 09/889,666

Group Art Unit: 2123

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Examiner: Kandasamy THANGAVELU

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PRETREATMENT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Before examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

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